



Docket No.: 6655P003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

KHOSROW LASHKARI, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/678,247

Filed: October 3, 2003

For: **EFFICIENT IMPLEMENTATION FOR JOINT  
OPTIMIZATION OF EXCITATION AND  
MODEL PARAMETERS WITH A GENERAL  
EXCITATION FUNCTION**

Art Group: 2609

Examiner: Paras D. Shah

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to September 25, 2007, from the Office Action dated April 25, 2007. The petition filing fee of \$450.00 and an Amendment and Response to Office Action are attached. (If a check is not attached, you are hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 02-2666.)

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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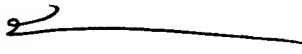
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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: September 25, 2007

  
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